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Brovelli et al.)
Serial No. 10/774,092) Examiner: Patricia A. Leith
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For: METHOD OF AUGMENTING THE IMMUNE-MODULATORY ACTIVITY OF STANDARDIZED ECHINACEA PREPARATIONS	Confirmation No.: 7125)))

AMENDMENT, RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed February 2, 2009, Applicants respectfully request continued examination in light of the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Applicant's response to the Office action begin on page 6.